

CHAPTER NO. 46

HOUSE BILL NO. 1454

By Representatives Briley, Boyer, McDonald, Pleasant, Cooper, Maddox

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1546

By Senator Rochelle

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, to authorize the issuance of new specialty earmarked license plates for Special Olympics.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-202(c)(7), is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

() Special Olympics;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section:

(a) Owners or lessees of motor vehicles who are residents of the state of Tennessee, upon complying with state motor vehicle laws relating to registration and licensing of motor vehicles and paying the regular fee applicable to the motor vehicle and the fee provided for in §55-4-203, shall be issued a Special Olympics new specialty earmarked license plate for a motor vehicle authorized by §55-4-210(c).

(b) The new specialty earmarked plates provided for in this section shall contain the Special Olympics logo and shall include the language "SPECIAL OLYMPICS" in an appropriate design. Such plates shall be designed in consultation with the Board of Directors of Tennessee Special Olympics.

(c) The funds produced from the sale of such new specialty earmarked license plates, less the expense the state has incurred in designing and manufacturing such plates, shall be allocated to Tennessee Special Olympics in accordance with the provisions of §55-4-215.

(d) If the new specialty earmarked plate authorized by this act fails to meet the minimum issuance requirements of §55-4-201(b)(3)(B) within one (1) year of the effective date of this act, such plate shall not be issued and the commissioner shall notify the Tennessee Code Commission that the section of Tennessee Code Annotated authorizing the issuance of such plate is, on the basis of such inactivity, to be deemed obsolete and invalid.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 1999, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: March 24, 1999


JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 31st day of March 1999


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